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LETTER DATED 24 DECEMBER 1992 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF IRAQ TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

On instructions from my Government, I wish to inform you of fresh Iranian violations of the cease-fire between the two countries during the period from 17 November to 20 December 1992.

1. At 1100 hours on 17 November 1992, three Iranian fishing boats loaded materials from the port of Mohammarah, then headed in the direction of the sea.

2. At 0640 hours on 26 November 1992, three individuals from the Iranian side were seen setting up a new position at geographic coordinates 059938 in front of the Al-Tayyib guard post inside the area of separation.

3. At 0945 hours on 1 December 1992, the Iranian side stationed four caravans drawn by four Mercedes lorries at geographic coordinates 911784. The lorries were operated by six persons inside the area of separation.

4. At 1400 hours on 20 December 1992, the Iranian side set up a machine-gun at the Iranian position at geographic coordinates 562486 inside the area of separation.

I should be grateful if you would have this letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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